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2 April 1952

MEMORANDUM FOR: C .

SUBJECT:

Propaganda Message Accompanying BGHEGOOD Drops

- l. According to your recent conversation I understand [ ] suggested that the messages accompanying the foodstuffs that are dropped by the covert plane in the name of the MCFA should include:
  - a. Specific mention of the work, money, and risks involved in delivering the goods.
  - b. Specific mention of the fact that the Albanians could help their cause by informing them they can contact MCFA representatives in Greece where they will be properly looked after.
- 2. There is obvious merit in these suggestions and I believe the thought expressed in 1.a could be printed on the back side of the tag which accompanies each load of cans and we will pass this suggestion to the field. (Sample of tag and translation is attached). However, I believe F I will realize this point has not been completely overlooked when he reads the translation of the leaflet (also attached) which accompanies each I lb. flour bag. A new leaflet is under consideration and this thought will be in the text.

I do not believe it is an opportune time to use the messages accompanying the foodstuffs as recruitment handbills. At present the branch regards Albania itself as the primary source of agent material. However, our present activities are on such a limited scale we are confident of recruiting an adequate number of agents by our various agent teams without resorting to wholesale recruiting. Furthermore reception, processing, and training facilities are presently inadequate to handle a large influx of potential agent material should a large number of Albanians take it upon themselves to cross into Greece. Another point which I believe must also be taken into consideration is the possible damaging effect an outright invitation to escape to Greece could have on our project. It may tend to tighten controls in the frontier area consequently working to the disadvantage of our overland operations into Albania and it could have the result of putting a strain upon our position and that of NCFA with the Greek Government.

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